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**SUBJECT: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR THE
ELECTRONIC MAIL BASED MANAGEMENT
AND MANIPULATION OF STORED FILES** XXPO-5J

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a patent application including formal papers as follows:

Applicant: Jordan Pollack

Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR THE ELECTRONIC MAIL BASED
MANAGEMENT AND MANIPULATION OF STORED FILES

No. Pages Specification: 23; Claims: 9; Abstract: 1; Drawings: 12;

Filing Fee Calculation

Basic Fee: \$355.00

Additional Fees:

Total number of claims in excess
of 20: 9 x \$9.00 \$81.00

Number of independent claims in
excess of 3: 1 x \$39.00 \$39.00

TOTAL FILING FEE: \$475.00

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Applicant hereby claims priority under 35 USC 119, 120, 363, 365, and 37 CFR 1.55, based on U.S. Provisional Patent application serial no. 60/220,886, filed on July 26, 2000.

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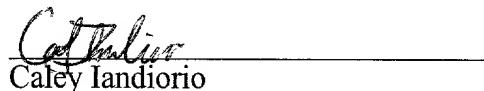


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